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BERNARDO VFW POST GETS CHARTER; OFFICERS INSTALLED

Newly elected officers of the Joseph and Stanley Bernardo Post No. 7445, VFW, Irvington, were installed and the charter of the new post presented at impressive ceremonies held last Saturday evening at Maple Hall in Irvington, before a capacity audience.

Honored guests included the Bernardo family, Gold Star Mothers of the area, high military officials from nearby bases, state VFW officers, George P. Miller, U. S. Congressman, and Supervisor Chester E. Stanley.

The ceremony opened with the advance of colors, which were purchased through the donations of local business houses.

The institution of the post was performed by Darold D. DeCoe Jr., department commander, at which time the charter was presented.

POST'S FIRST OFFICERS

The post's first officers, installed by a team from the East Bay Police and Fire Post No. 2727, included: Walter Roethlin, commander; Edwin E. Freitas, senior vice-commander; Robert W. Bushnell, junior vice-commander; Clarence N. Dutra, chaplain; Elwood P. Leach, quartermaster; Paul D. Power, advocate; Judson A. Bagwill, Tarno H. Fudenna and Antone S. Cunha, trustees.

Appointive officers installed were Kenneth C. Gass, adjutant; Joseph R. Stanley, officer-of-the-day; Franklin Craig, patriotic instructor; Victor Hernandez, historian; Eugene M. Stevenson, service officer; John C. Reddish, guard; William L. Morris and Ernest T. Rose, color bearers; Curtis M. Thomas and Leon A. Head, color guards; Robert W. Bagwill, public relations officer; Tarno H. Fudenna, bugler; Kenneth L. Perry, assistant quartermaster; Stanley H. Kearley, assistant adjutant; Kalell H. McClelland, employment officer, and Clarence T. Rose, legislative officer.

TRIBUTE TO WAR DEAD

A brief address was given by Commander Roethlin, who stated that the post is dedicated as a living memorial to Joseph and Stanley Bernardo and all the township's heroes who sacrificed their lives for our country.

The presentation of the post's colors was made by Chester E. Stanley, vice-chairman of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

Robert E. Murray, assistant deputy chief of staff, served as master of ceremonies.

The remainder of the evening was spent dancing.

CHARTER MEMBERS LISTED

Charter members of the post are: Walter J. Roethlin, Kenneth C. Gass, Paul D. Power, Judson A. Bagwell, Franklin Crag, Robert W. Bushnell, Stanley H. Kearley, Victor C. Hernandez, Edwin E. Freitas, Leon A. Head, Eugene M. Stevenson, Elwood P. Leach, Kenneth L. Perry, Kalell H. McClelland, Thomas P. Sinclair, Clar-

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TELEVISION
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17-in. G.E. Table Models	259.95
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20-in. Cinema Consoles	289.95
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PAYS PREMIUM FOR SEVEN EXTRA DUCKS

Fred C. Hock, San Mateo real estate broker, paid more than $14 per head for seven ducks here last Friday that he didn't even get to keep.

The transaction was completed before Judge Allen G. Norris in Justice Court after Hock had entered a plea of guilty to possessing seven ducks over the legal limit. He paid a fine of $100.

Hock complained to the court that $100 seemed like it was a little steep for only seven ducks, but was reminded that the maximum penalty allowed by law is $500.

He was arrested near Newark as he approached the highway from a duck pond.

TWO-DAY STRIKE AT PACIFIC STATES STEEL SETTLED

A strike of two days' duration was terminated by the C.I.O. Steel Workers Union at the Pacific States Steel Company's plant at Niles late last Friday.

Federal Conciliator Omar Hoskins said the company and union had agreed that a new contract would conform to the pattern set in any nation-wide settlement. The proposed nation-wide strike has been postponed 45 days.

The members of the local union walked out at 6 a.m. Thursday, January 3, declaring that they would not work without a contract. The contract expired January 1.

Negotiations were immediately begun between the union and company officials.

Hoskins said ten major issues were involved, in addition to local differences on which negotiations will continue.

Among the major issues are wages, shift differentials, severance pay, overtime on Saturdays and Sundays, eight paid holidays, reporting allowances, vacations, an incentive plan and seniority provisions.

About 520 persons were idled by the walkout but returned to work Saturday morning.

HUSKIES OPEN CAGE LEAGUE SEASON

The Washington High School basketball squads open their Santa Clara Valley Athletic League season tonight (Friday) in a double-header at Live Oak High.

The two squads have been idle since December 29 and Coaches Clyde Voorhees and Don Wolfe have made good use of this week's drills in polishing the rough spots brought out in early season play.

Neither squad is expected to be too strong a contender for the conference crowns.

Next Tuesday the squads will be host to San Jose High in a non-conference afternoon double-header.

Friday, February 18, they will play their first conference games on the home courts against the Fremont Indians with the first game scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

BUILDING PERMITS CLIMB IN 1951

The Alameda County Building Inspection Department issued 5,464 building permits during 1951, it was revealed this week by Marcus S. Carlson, building official.

Carlson, in his summary of the past year's operations, reported that the buildings for which the permits were issued amounted to an estimated valuation of $45,164,522.

Heading the list of types of buildings for which permits were issued were single family dwellings with 3,636 permits with an estimated valuation of $26,502,245.

January of 1951 led all other months with 1,115 permits, as against 590 for July, the second highest month.

Included in the year's permits were clearances for the construction of 137 store buildings, 15 industrial plant buildings, 19 schools, 18 churches, 8 public buildings, and one hospital.

LAND PURCHASED FOR SCHOOL AT HILLVIEW CREST

Another hurdle in the eventual construction of a third elementary school plant in the Decoto District, to serve the Hillview Crest Tract, has been cleared, according to L. W. Musick, district superintendent.

Musick said this week that the district has completed the purchase of a 10-acre parcel of land as a site for the new school. It is adjacent to the north boundary of the tract, just off Wheelon Avenue. The land was purchased from Lena C. Moeller and Walter F. Becker, heirs of the estate of the late Amelia Becker.

Walter Stromquist and Birge Clark, architects for the district, will have their plans ready to be submitted to the state for final approval in about two weeks, according to Musick

Plans for the new plant call for nine classrooms, a multi-purpose room to be used as a cafeteria and auditorium, and an administrative unit.

The district has received an allocation from the Federal Government for the necessary steel for the structure and has also received preliminary approval from the state for the construction.

Musick said that the plans call for the unit to be completed and ready for use before the opening of the fall term of school this year.

He stated that the district's one bus is now transporting 310 students to the two elementary schools from Hillview tract. He added that another 200 youngsters residing in the tract are not attending classes because they were not enrolled in any school at the beginning of the fall session.

'GUESS WHO' MAN BORN IN COLORADO

Were you able to find the answer to last week's "man of the week?" If not, perhaps you'd like to know that it was R. J. Wright, Irvington real estate broker.

This week's may not be so difficult. In fact, we were quite certain that if we told you what occupation he has, it would make it too easy for you. So we've purposely omitted telling you that.

If you are not able to guess, look through these pages. You'll find the answer.

He was born in Colorado.

For the first five years of his life he lived around a penitentiary. Don't get us wrong—we didn't say IN a penitentiary! But his home was right next door to the Colorado state penitentiary.

His family moved from Colorado to Idaho, and then to California.

He has frequently been confused with his brother, who gained considerable fame as a boxer.

During his college days at Stanford, he earned his tuition by taking care of the guinea pigs, dogs, rabbits, doves, pigeons, etc., used in the bacteriological laboratory. This was a rather sad occupation—despite the fifty dollars a month it brought in—as he would become attached to his "pets," only to have them "sent away."

He took his A.B. degree at Stanford and also his M.A. degree—and in that time his parents were out only $20 on his education! He earned all the rest himself, doing odd jobs.

During his college days he was an expert swimmer, and still enjoys swimming, though he doesn't do much of it these days.

His favorite forms of recreation are gardening and playing bridge.

He is a member of the Niles Rotary Club and was, at one time, president of the Club.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY WILL MEET JANUARY 17

The next meeting of the Washington Township Historical Society will be held Thursday, January 17 at 8 p.m. at the gift shop of Miss Olive Hyde in Mission San Jose.

Special guests will be Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stewart of San Leandro. Mr. Stewart will discuss his recent book, "San Leandro, A History."

DEFENDANT PAYS FINE, GETS JOB

Joe Vaga of Alvarado appeared in Justice Court last Friday with a citation charging him with three traffic law violations, and ended up with a $240-per-hour part-time job.

Vaga entered pleas of guilty to charges of driving on the wrong side of the highway, speeding, and hit-and-run. He was sentenced to pay a fine of $60 or spend 12 days in jail.

He was standing at the desk of Court Clerk Laura Secada counting out his money when the next case was called.

Judge Allen G. Norris learned from the next defendant that he was unable to understand English. About the same time Vaga discovered that he was $4 short of the $60 fine.

Judge Norris made a deal. He agreed to reduce Vaga's fine $4 if he would serve as interpreter. The case took about ten minutes to settle.

BODY SOUGHT IN NEWARK SALT POND

The body of Mrs. Mildred L. Gibson, 32-year-old Menlo Park housewife who is believed to have leaped into a salt pond near the Dumbarton Bridge the night of January 2, still had not been recovered late yesterday.

Her car, headed back toward the peninsula, was found abandoned at the side of the road along the approach to the bridge about midnight, January 2.

Sheriff's deputies found her billfold in the car, along with a note addressed to her 10-year-old son.

In the note, Mrs. Gibson asked her son to be a good boy and take care of his pets. She asked his forgiveness "for leaving you like this."

Near the edge of the comparatively shallow pond the deputies found both of Mrs. Gibson's shoes.

They learned also that the couple had had a heated argument the night of her disappearance.

CHURCH ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Officers to serve the Centerville Presbyterian Church during the coming year were elected at the annual congregational meeting and potluck supper held Monday evening.

Gerald Meekins and Don Wolfe were elected elders to serve with Peter Juhl, Ralph Logan, Earl Mackintosh and Miss Mary Van Winkle.

Miss Flora McKeown and Robert Kithcart were named trustees. Others serving as trustees are James Logan, Robert Moore, Earl Mackintosh and Don Wolfe.

Mrs. Margaret Chadbourne was re-elected treasurer.

Deacons elected were Mrs. Ann Jones, Mrs. Mary Voorhees and Gerald Stollenwerk. They will serve along with Gary Rehrig and Mrs. Lillie Christensen.

The group authorized the Rev. Howard Steward, pastor, to appoint a committee to begin making preparations for the church's 100th anniversary in June of 1953.

Plans were also discussed for expanding the present church building.

BURIED TREASURE

Mrs. W. L. McWhirter of Centerville, who advertised a piano and other pieces of furniture in last week's Register, stated this week that she was swamped with phone calls all week as a result of the ad.

If you have household items or knick-knacks you are not using, why don't you get them out, dust them off, and advertise them in The Register? You don't need them any longer, but somebody else might. And couldn't you use a little spare cash right now to pay those Christmas bills?

Just phone Niles 3261 and place your ad. The Register will be glad to serve you.

ALL TELEPHONES GO ON EXTENDED SERVICE TODAY

All telephones in Washington Township will go on extended service today (Friday).

In making the announcement, S. D. Smith, Pacific Telephone Company manager, said that under the new arrangement, calls between Alavarado, Centerville, Decoto, Irvington, Newark, Mission San Jose, Niles and Warm Springs may be made toll-free.

Extended service rates, involving a small increase in cost, becomes effective for all local service subscribers with today's change.

Smith pointed out that with the change to extended service, present local service subscribers will benefit by a reduction of about 12 per cent in charges for most station calls to many other bay area exchanges. Reduced rates for these calls became effective for extended service subscribers on December 21.

Under the new rates, for each 5 cent unit of the former toll charge for such calls, subscribers now will be charged one "message unit," which is 4.4 cents. In addition, the new method of charging will result in lowering the federal tax on such calls costing 25 cents or more from 25 per cent to 15 per cent.

The savings on these calls have been made possible in part by the more economical method of showing the total number of message units, without itemization, on customers' bills.

SEASON'S RAINFALL BOOSTED TO 14.26

The season's rainfall total continued to stay ahead of the total for last year during the past week with 1.32 inches recorded at the Southern Pacific depot at Niles.

Last year's rainfall, the heaviest in ten years in this area, will be outdone by this season's total if current weather conditions continue to prevail.

The tabulations maintained here reveal 14.26 inches of rainfall since July 1, as compared with 12.69 inches during the same period last year.

Water levels in all wells of the area have continued to rise and a heavy flow of water down Alameda Creek gives promise of continued benefit to the underground water tables.

Snow has blanketed the second range of hills between this area and the Livermore Valley during the entire week and early morning temperatures continue to dip below the freezing point.

Weathermen have promised additional storms will hit this area this week-end.

TOWNSHIP MEN ENLIST IN NAVY

Three Washington Township young men were enlisted in the U. S. Navy on January 3, and are presently undergoing recruit training at the Naval Training in San Diego. Upon completion of their 11 weeks of training they will be granted 14 days leave.

The new Navy men are:

Joe Castro Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Castro Sr., of 536 Thirteenth Street, Decoto.

Robert James Foley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Foley, of 2491 George Street, Newark.

Lige Nathian Neeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Neeley, of Box 762, Centerville.

Prior to enlistment in the Navy, all men attended the Washington Union High School in Centerville. All men were enlisted through the Navy Recruiting Station, City Hall, San Leandro.

NILES CHAMBER WILL MEET AT SCHOOL

The Niles Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday, January 15, at 12:20 p.m. at the cafeteria of the Niles Elementary School where they will be paying guests of the school.

The Chamber did not meet this week as the International Kitchen, its usual meeting place, is closed

Postal Receipts Hit Record High; Reflect Local Growth

The substantial growth of Washington Township during the past twelve months was reflected this week in the tabulations of the yearly postal receipts in the township's eight post offices.

For the first time in the history of the township the total postal receipts exceeded the $100,000 mark with the eight postmasters reporting their total at $105,897.99.

The 1951 receipts represent an increase of $9,868.90 over the receipts for 1950, the highest yearly increase ever recorded here. In comparison, the increase for 1950, over 1949, was but $845.99.

Gains in postal receipts were reported in all of the post offices, with the exception of Mission San Jose.

HIGHEST RECEIPTS AT NILES

The biggest increase was at Niles where Postmaster E. E. Enos listed his 1951 receipts at $29,338.08, an increase of $4,082.05 over last year.

Next highest gain was at Decoto. Postmaster Mary Janeiro reported that her 1951 receipts totaled $10,693.78, an increase of $2,582.71 over the previous year.

Centerville showed a gain of $1,872.79 over 1950, according to Postmaster Manuel W. Lewis. He listed his 1951 receipts at $20,255.10.

Receipts at Irvington climbed to $10,837.78 for the past year, according to Manuel Joseph, postmaster, representing a gain of $1,707.63.

Mrs. Julia Harris, postmaster at Newark, listed her 1951 receipts at $22,380.20, second highest in the township, representing a gain of $980.42.

MISSION RECEIPTS DROP

A slight increase was noted at Alvarado by Postmaster Genevieve Dutra. The 1951 receipts totaled $5,590.78, an increase of $94.67 over the 1950 total.

Postmaster Joe Brown of Warm Springs listed his 1951 receipts at $1,933, an increase of $39 over the 1950 receipts.

Mrs. Lois Bottenberg, postmaster at Mission San Jose, reported that her 1951 receipts totaled $4,869.27, a drop of $1,490.37 from the 1950 receipts.

DECOTO CHAMBER INSTALLS OFFICERS

Newly elected officers of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce were installed by George Smith at Tuesday evening's meeting.

The new officers are: Manuel Hidalgo, president; Rinaldo Caminada, vice-president; Bernie Joseph, secretary; Peter Decoto, treasurer; and Frank Borghi, Ray Orozco and Joe Caldeira, directors.

Gonzalves Paniagua, retiring president, thanked the group for their co-operation during the past two years and recommended that a membership campaign be launched immediately.

Following a lengthy discussion the group voted that in the future all important letters addressed to Supervisor Chester E. Stanley be sent registered, with return receipt requested.

Letters were ordered sent requesting action toward the establishment of four lanes for the Niles-Hayward Highway and the installation of a traffic signal at the entrance to Hillview Crest.

Visitors present representing the Hillview Crest Homeowners Assn. were King Cole, Norman Barzee, Carl Gordon, John Lucchetti and Mr. Shields.

The visitors announced that their association will hold a mass meeting at the Hayward Veterans Memorial Building on January 12 at 8 p.m.

It was announced that George Oakes Jr. will be the guest speaker at next month's meeting of the local chamber.

SUPREME PRESIDENT'S VISIT IS EXPECTED

Council No. 19, U.P.P.E.C., Centerville, is making plans for the official visit to the lodge on Tuesday, Jan. 15, of the supreme president, Mrs. Isabel Macido of Walnut Creek.

Other grand officers will also be present and local lodge members are requested to attend this important meeting, which will be held in Parish Hall, Centerville, starting at 8 o'clock.

BRUCE MICHAEL NAMED TOWNSHIP DEFENSE DIRECTOR

The community directors of the Civil Defense Organization in Washington Township Wednesday evening elected Bruce Michael of Warm Springs as the new township director. He succeeds Gene Manning of Centerville, who resigned last month.

Michael had served as assistant director under Manning since the civil defense program was organized here more than a year ago.

The meeting, held in the office of the L. S. Williams Packing Company, Centerville, was attended by civil defense directors from Mission San Jose, Warm Springs, Irvington, Centerville, Newark and Niles. They announced that a new assistant director will be named in the near future.

Michael announced that the main goal of the defense group here now is to set up an organization of block wardens in each of the communities.

Persons willing to serve as block wardens are asked to volunteer their services to their community civil defense directors. Michael said that both men and women may serve as block wardens.

A training program for the wardens will get under way here next month. The wardens will be required to attend five weekly two-hour instruction sessions to be held at local schools.

AUXILIARY SETS INSTALLATION DATE

Newly elected officers of the Auxiliary of the Stanley and Joseph Bernardo VFW Post at Irvington will be installed and the charter presented at special public ceremonies to be held February 16.

Officers who will be installed are: Mrs. Janice Roethlin, president; Mrs. Irene Crystal, senior vice-president; Mrs. Florence Porter, junior vice-president; Mrs. Marie Lewis, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Bernardo, chaplain; Mrs. Lorraine Stanley, conductress; Mrs. Caroline Keip, guard; Mrs. Evelyn Newton, three-year trustee; Mrs. Elaine Bushnell, two-year trustee, and Mrs. Evangeline Stevenson, one-year trustee.

Mrs. Roethlin said this week that she has appointed Mrs. Mertie Craig as historian and Mrs. Virginia Kearley, secretary.

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WILL NOMINATE

The nomination of new officers to head the Irvington Chamber of Commerce for the coming year will be held at next Tuesday's luncheon meeting of the group at Roethlin's Cafe.

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NEWARK NEWS

By PAT COLLINS

ATTENDS ROSE BOWL

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Gunn, daughter Rosemary, and son Tom finished their round of holiday festivities by driving down to Pasadena to view the Rose Bowl tournament. While there they visited relatives in Long Beach.

NEW ARRIVAL

On Sunday, Jan. 6, at 12:45 a.m., Stephanie Elizabeth Rice made her appearance into the world at San Jose Hospital. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rice. Mrs. Rice is the former Bette Cotter. Stephanie arrived in Newark on Wednesday, at her parents' new residence at 1226 Thornton Avenue. Mr. Rice is employed at Westvaco.

BRIDGE CLUB

Seevn ladies enjoyed an evening of bridge at the home of Mrs. Alex DeKnoop on Tuesday, Jan. 8. They were Mmes. Cline Hayward, George Worley, Merle Witcraft, Mac Currie, John Mason and Robert Milni.

RECENT NEWCOMER

Mrs. J. F. Shultz of Oklahoma City, Okla., has moved to Newark recently to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Ferry.

VISITORS FROM OREGON

The S. Peterson family, former residents in Newark, visited with the Kenneth Fosters last Friday on their way to Mexico. The Petersons are now living in Oregon.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

The Sunday School class of the Presbyterian Church, under the instruction of Mrs. Samuel Scott, held a party at Mrs. Scott's home on January 4. Attending were: Rosemary Gunn, Connie Emmett, Carolyn Nobles, Emily Jane Scott, Shirley Chandler, Donald Harris, Philip Lammi, Bob Hause, LeRoy Brown, and Lloyd Auchard.

During the course of the evening, games were played, plans discussed for their new Sunday School room, and refreshments were served.

POT LUCK DINNER

On January 19 the members of the Hobby Section of the Washington Township Country Club will hold their annual pot luck dinner at the P .G. and E. clubhouse. Their husbands will be invited to enjoy dinner and dancing.

CLUB ELECTION

An election of officers for 1952 of the Women's Improvement Club was held Tuesday, Jan. 8. The offices were filled as follows: president, Mrs. Lillian Costa; vice-president; Mrs. Melba Olk; secretary, Mrs. Lillian Lloyd; assistant secretary, Mrs. Shirley Bushke; treasurer, Mrs. Helen Bamman.

MODEL BUSTERS

The night the Newark Model Busters have long awaited is mighty close at hand. It is actually tomorrow night (Saturday). The setting will be the Western Associated Modelers dinner at the Trivoli Restaurant in San Francisco and festivities are scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. The high spot of the evening will be when the Newark Club is presented with the Burton Wood Beginners Trophy for having the most beginner flyers entering W.A.M. sanctioned model aeroplane contests.

Representatives of the Newark Model Busters will include Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Scott and their children, Lovell and Patsy, of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wood and sons Jimmy and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Andrus and sons Kenneth and Clifford, and Jerry Gilliam, all of Newark, and Frank Adams of Irvington.

K. OF P.'s MEET

Ken Williams and Charles Sedgwick of the Elm Lodge of the Knights of Pythias visited at the last local K. of P. meeting at the Youth Center.

Barring unforseen circumstances the local Knights of Pythias will install officers at the next regular meeting, Wednesday, Jan. 16.

OFF TO NAVY

Having successfully passed all tests and completed all requirements, Robert James "Buzzy" Foley left for San Diego last Thursday to begin an enlistment in the Navy. Buzzy is the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Foley. The first three weeks he will be in quarantine, after that his parents may visit him, but it will be 11 weeks before he can come home for a visit.

SNOW TRIP

Under the guidance of their leader, Mr. Edward Maughn, the Newark Boy Scouts are beginning to make plans for an overnight snow trip to Long Barn sometime during the first of March. They will take their own equipment and cook their own meals. As only second class scouts will be allowed to make the trip, there are eight scouts who will be working awfully hard between now and then so that they can accompany the four who now qualify for this trip to the snow.

CHICKEN PIES

On Monday, Jan. 21, just one week from this coming Monday, the Women's Society of the Newark Presbyterian Church will serve a chicken pie supper in the church parlors. Adult service will be $1.50, and child's plate 75 cents. Reservations are being taken by Mrs. R. O. Grace who can be reached by phoning Newark 3-3722. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Franklin Brown, Mrs. Ray Auchard and Mrs. Fred Muller are directly in charge. Proceeds are destined to find their way into the general church fund.

THEIR FIRST

Their first child, a baby girl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Rice shortly after midnight Sunday, January 6. The little girl has been named Stephanie. Her initial appearance was made at the San Jose Hospital. She weighed seven pounds.

GOOLD TELLS POTARIANS OF HIGH SCHOOL NEEDS

Within the next two or three years Washington Union High School will face such a large growth in enrollment that present educational facilities will prove inadequate, it was stated yesterday by J. V. Goold, district superintendent. He spoke at the luncheon meeting of the Niles Rotary Club, which met in the high school cafeteria.

Mr. Goold said that enlarging the school plant must be undertaken two years in advance of need because of procedural and financial requirements. Thus, the educational needs two years hence become today's problem.

The California State Library has more than 1,500 reproductions of famous paintings available for loan.

FARM COMMODITY PRICE OUTLOOK TO BE STUDIED

The outlook for farm prices, with particular reference to those commodities produced in Washington and Eden townships, will be the topic of discussion at next Tuesday evening's meeting of the Eden-Washington Farm Center.

The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the cafeteria of Washington Union High School. The discussion will be led by George E. Alcorn, extension economist in marketing.

Earl Wallace, chairman, has announced that refreshments will be served.

CHATTER BOX

Washington Township is brimming with writers—or would-be writers! If you don't believe it, you should have attended the new creative writing class launched last Wednesday night at the high school. Warren Gravestock, night school principal, said he was overwhelmed by the large class.

Meg Monday, the teacher, of San Jose State College, should have been extremely flattered by the comments of most members of the class: "The class didn't last nearly long enough. The two hours just flew!"

Who knows? Washington Township probably has hidden talent lying dormant here. All it needed to bring it to life was just such a class. And don't be surprised one of these days if you open the pages of Harper's, or the Saturday Evening Post, to see a familiar name by-lining a short story. It COULD happen here!

If you'd still like to join, and get in on some very stimulatng discussion (we might even say HEATED discussion), be at the school next Wednesday night, at seven o'clock promptly.

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If you don't like the way President Truman is handling government business—or even if you do—you'll want to VOTE at the next election. Make sure that you CAN vote. If you've moved since the last election, you'll have to register again. You can register at the new county building on Fremont Avenue.

Don't sit around and talk about the way YOU'D run the government. If you don't like the way it's being run, you can do something about it by voting for the man you think will do a better job.

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Dr. Delmar Brown, University of California professor who gave a talk at the Country Club last Tuesday, gave an eye-opening resume of conditions in the Orient.

According to Dr. Brown, America is under-selling America. We have a wonderful democracy, but are falling down badly in selling our ideals to other countries, whereas the Communists are going all-out to put across their ideals all over the world.

Members of the Country Club who heard Dr. Brown came away with something to think about other than the appetizing home-cooked luncheon which was served prior to the talk, although it, too, was deserving of considerable attention.

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TV NEWS
By LEO BOHANNON
In the beginning there was some question as to how well music and television might mix. But the new Dinah Shore and Perry Como shows have topped all ratings in their particular time slots every week, proving that music is GOOD no matter what medium you get it through.

The audience appeal of these popular singers is terrific, because without a doubt people do like to see their music being made as well as to hear it.
Television brings all kinds of music . . . along with the popular singers, cowboy tunesters, folk singers, opera, symphony orchestras, chamber music . . . a complete lineup. So you can be sure to enjoy the musical show with your eyes as well as your ears. If you're a music lover, television is definitely for you.
In fact, no matter what kind of entertainment you like . . . television brings it to you. It's the most far-reaching medium yet devised. And it's high time you got in on all the wonderful things that are happening TV-wise.
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ST. JAMES CHURCH PLANS ANNUAL MEET

The annual meeting of the congregation of St. James Episcopal Church, Centerville, will be held Friday, January 18, following a dinner to be served at 6:30 p.m.

The dinner will be given by members of the Altar Guild, who are meeting Monday, January 14, at 2 p.m., to plan the meal.

The yearly reports by the rector and various organizations will be given at the general meeting.

Rev. Arthur Freeman, rector, said this week that the two outstanding achievements of the past year have been the raising of a thousand dollars for St. Luke's Hospital in San Francisco and the concert given by the choir at the vesper service November 11 at St. Paul's Church, Oakland.

He also pointed out that new tables and chairs were purchased for the primary department of the Sunday School.

"This year saw an increase of 32 in the number of communicants, 15 by confirmation and 17 by transfer, bringing the total number to 132," Rev. Freeman said.

After the reports are made at the meeting three members of the vestry will be elected to replace the three outgoing members, Mrs. Lloyd Bailey, Alfred Dana and Douglas Mayock.

Reservations for the dinner may be made with Mrs. Harvey Granger, Decoto, Mrs. Olive Hoskins, Niles, or Mrs. Warren Gravestock, Centerville.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Graveside services were held at the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Irvington on Tuesday for Louis Frake, 77, former local resident who died last week in Sacramento. Services were under the direction of the Berge Mortuary, Irvington.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1952, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the main or Fallon Street entrance of the Alameda County Court House, situated on the westerly side of Fallon Street between 12th and 13th Streets in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, M. MARCHISIO and MAX STEVENSON, Trustees, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for lawful money of the United States, the following described real property situated in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

PORTION of the 15.157 acre tract of land in Survey No. 77 of the lands of the Ex-Mission of San Jose, described in the deed by Pauline E. More, et al., to Antonio Pereira Da Roza, dated December 30, 1892 recorded in book 497 of Deeds at page 389, Alameda County Records, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the center line of County Road No. 94, known as Santos Avenue, 33 feet wide, distant thereon south 33° 15' west 166.22 feet from the most eastern corner of said 15.157 acre tract and running thence along said center line of Santos Avenue south 33° 15' west 60 feet; thence north 57° west 181.50 feet; thence north 33° 15' east 60 feet; thence south 57° east 181.50 feet to the point of beginning.

Said sale will be made to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust executed by JOHN H. HOLLAND, also known as J. H. HOLLAND, and CONSTANCE F. HOLLAND, his wife, as Trustors, to M. MARCHISIO and MAX STEVENSON, as Trustees for WILLIAM L. SILVA and MARY L. MOARA, as joint tenants, lenders and beneficiaries, dated February 6, 1948, and recorded February 17, 1948, in Book 5411 of Official Records at page 87, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County.

Notice of breach and election to sell under said Deed of Trust was recorded in the office of said County Recorder on August 24, 1951, in Book 6520 of Official Records, at page 159.

The beneficiaries or any other person may purchase at said sale. This notice is given in compliance with written demand made by the beneficiaries on said trustees.

Dated: December 6th, 1951.

M. MARCHISIO
MAX STEVENSON
Trustees

D21,28,J4,11

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 117817 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executor of the Will of LUCINDA P. WILLIAMS, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the office of NORRIS AND BROUN, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: December 19, 1951.

LAWRENCE W. GEORGE
Executor of the Will of Lucinda P. Williams, Deceased.
NORRIS AND BROUN
Attorneys for said Executor,
114 North Main Street,
Centerville, California.

D28,J4,11,18

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 117882 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of ANTONE S. ESCOBAR, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: December 28, 1951.

ROSE S. ESCOBAR
Administratrix of the Estate of the above named decedent.
E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Administratrix
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FORMER IRVINGTON RESIDENT SUCCUMBS

Benjamin Rush Gilbert, 72, San Jose building contractor and a former resident of Irvington, died suddenly of a heart attack near Irvington Tuesday.

According to Deputy Coroner Dallas Paul, Gilbert and his wife had driven to the Cook Ranch on the Centerville-Irvington Highway to pick up a trailer load of fireplace wood. After Gilbert had loaded the wood he complained of being ill and collapsed.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert resided in Irvington for nearly two years while he constructed some new homes on Union Street. He was an active member of the Reorganized Church of Latter-Day Saints and served as pastor in San Jose for five years.

In addition to his widow, Rose, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Grace Cook of San Jose and Mrs. Mabel Ackerman of Alviso; a sister, Mrs. Ina Witzke of San Bruno; a brother, Clarence Cato of Modesto, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held yesterday from the parlors of the John E. Dowdle Mortuary in San Jose. Interment was at Oak Hill Memorial Park.

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NEW COFFEE SHOP OPENS IN IRVINGTON

A new business house, the Irvington Coffee Shop, has been opened in Irvington by Mrs. Mildred Fox. The establishment, open seven days a week, is located at 107 Mission Street.

NEWARK YOUTH CENTER NEWS

By FRANK LOMBARDO

We are proud to announce the following games have been scheduled on Saturdays. The games to be played are ping-pong, horseshoe pitching, tennis and checkers. As soon as arrangements are worked out we will announce the game time schedules.

The organization has purchased a juke box, thanks to the wonderful cooperation in the youth activities. The music machine will serve both the teenagers dance and general entertainment.

Saturday's teenagers dance will be enjoyed by dancing under blue lights. We have a good selection of recordings, including polkas, waltzes, fox trots and boogie-woogie.

All those belonging to the harmonica band and the boxing team report for rehearsal Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

The newly organized basketball team is ready for games and group leaders wishing to arrange games may telephone Newark 3-3775.

The players are in the 14 to 15 year age bracket.

Teenage boys who would like to play softball should report to the Youth Center Saturday at 3 p.m. to sign up for the 1952 season. Teams will be organized for the 9 to 12 and 13 to 15 year olds.

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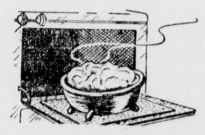

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Pork Spareribs	Small Sides. Just Right to Bake, Boil or Barbecue—Lb.	55¢
Ground Beef	Safeway Controlled Quality Beef. Packed in Sanitary Casing—Lb.	65¢
Pure Pork Sausage	Seasoned Just Right Safeway Brand—Lb.	59¢
Beef Roast	Boneless—Meaty Rump or Bottom Round Cuts U. S. "Choice" Grade—Lb.	98c
Pork Steaks	Lean Meaty Butt Cuts—Lb.	65¢
Breast of Lamb	Tasty Lean Meat for Economical Meals—Lb.	39¢
Leg of Pork Roast	Meaty, Whole or Full Shank Half Cuts—Lb.	59¢
Sliced Bacon	Lean Streaked. Standard Quality 1-lb. Layers—Lb.	53¢
Fillet of Cod	Tasty Waste Free Fish—Lb.	49¢

Miscellaneous Values

Pancake Mix	Suzanna—40-oz. Package	31¢
Log Cabin Syrup	24-oz. Glass	49¢
Breakfast Sausage	Rath, Black Hawk 8-oz. Can	39¢
Cream of Wheat	Quick or Regular 28-oz. Package	31¢
Half & Half	Lucerne—Pint Carton	27½c
Pineapple Juice	Libby—No. 2 Can	12¢
Tomato Juice	Sunny Dawn—No. 2 Can	12¢
Royal Satin Shortening	3-lb.Can	86¢
Salad Dressing	Duchess—Quart Glass	59¢
Cottage Cheese	Blossom Time—16-oz. Carton	25¢

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Grapefruit	Coachella or Arizona Desert Fruit—Lb.	9¢
Florida Cucumbers	Fancy Uniform Size—Lb.	29¢
Red Ripe Tomatoes	Cello Pkg.—Each	25¢
Navel Oranges	Large Size Sweet & Flavorful	5 Lbs. 49¢
Large Avocados	Fancy Fuertes (24 Size)—Each	23¢
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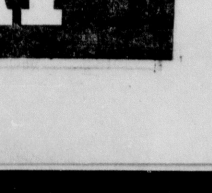

Van Zee Cheese Food	2-lb. Loaf	79¢
Macaroni	or Spaghetti, Golden Grain—1-lb. Cello	23¢ 2-lb. Cello 43¢
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Rice	Showboat Pearl, White or Brown—2-lb.	26c
Egg Noodles	Fischer—12-oz. Package	26c
Shrimp	Small Wet—Shady River—5-oz. Can	31c
Small White Beans	Sunny Hills—2-lb.	28c
Pink Salmon	Prince Leo—No. 1 Can	54c
Kitchen Craft Flour	5-lb. Bag	49c
Niblets Mexicorn	12-oz. Can	19c
Sweet Peas	Sugar Belle—10½-oz. Can	4 for 45c
Tomatoes	Gardenside, Standard—No. 2½ Can	21c

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By JOE ROSE

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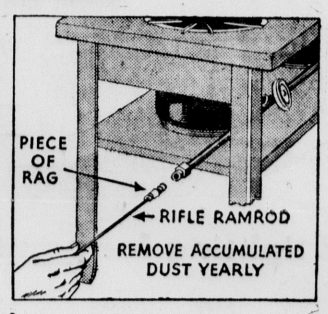

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FOUR LOCAL MOTORISTS LOSE LICENSES

Four Washington Township motorists had their drivers' licenses suspended during the past week by action of the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

Those losing their licenses were: Marcelino V. Campa, Decoto; Maurice Gonzales, Niles; Shelba Lewallen, Niles, and Herbert C. Wilson, Niles.

The license of Ynosente Dominguez Ramirez, Newark, was permanently reinstated by the department.

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DAY BY DAY IN DECOTO

By GRACE CAMINADA

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WEDDING CEREMONY

Miss Maria de la Luz Rivera became the bride of Diviano Diaz last Sunday morning at the 10 o'clock mass at Holy Rosary Church with Fr. Ralph Duggan officiating at the double ring nuptials.

"Lucy," as she is known to her friends, was escorted by her father and wore a gown of white satin with train trimmed in lace, high neckline, long pointed sleeves and buttons down the back. Her long veil was held in place with a crown of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of white carnations with a white orchid. Her "something borrowed" was a strand of pearls borrowed from a close friend. She wore a blue garter and a six-pence in her white sandal.

She was preceded down the aisle by Jennie Martinez, Alicia Campa, Frances Rodrigues, Josephine Rivera, June Bedoya and Bertha Hernandes, bridesmaids, all wearing aqua gowns, and Victoria Rico, Esther Renteria, Lucy Renteria, Mary Mijares, Margarita Coria, Fidelia Reyna and Dorothy Sisneros, all wearing orchid gowns. Their dresses were identical in a strapless net with matching stoles. Their dresses were trimmed with pearls on the bodice and rhinestones on the full skirts. They wore a crown of flowers in their hair, and carried a bouquet of orchid and pink carnations.

The maid of honor was Aurora Ledesma who was in a yellow gown. The second maid of honor was Ruth Sanchez who wore an aqua gown. Their dresses were identical to the other attendants but carried orange carnations.

The flower girl was Margarita Orosco who wore a white gown and carried a basket of mixed flowers.

The best man was Angel Ledesma, second best man Ruben Montano, and the chamberlains Jack Navarro, Jesse Dias, Frank Rodriguez, Gavino Gudino, Frank Zamora, Eddie Sisneros, Fidel Rodriguez, Tommy Alger, Martin Diaz, Fernano Avila, Jesse Silva, Grable Ramirez and Don Martinez. They all wore white dinner jackets with black trousers, and wore carnation buttonaires. The flower boy was Silverio Orosco.

The church was decorated with artificial white roses. Organist was George Fletcher.

A reception was held at the Garden of Allah from 2 to 4 p.m. Dancing from 8 to 12 p.m. The orchestra was Boleros from Decoto.

The bride wore a light blue gabardine suit with white accessories when the couple left for their honeymoon to Tia Juana. They will reside in Decoto upon their return.

Lucy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silveria Rivera of 400 Fourth Street, Decoto. She attended schools in Merced.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Modesta Diaz of Decoto and is a native of Texas.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent T. Santiago announce the arrival of their daughter, Linda Carol, who was born at the Decoto Medical Building on January 3. She weighed in at 7 pounds and 9 ounces. The Santiagos reside at 100 Linda Drive, Niles.

RECOVERING

A speedy recovery to Betty Margarido who is recovering at the Alameda Hospital after a major operation. Betty will be there for several weeks.

ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Ignacio Paniagua announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Bruce Lawrence of Oakland. Plans for their marriage have been set for Easter Sunday, April 13.

TO SAN DIEGO

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Garcia and Ginger Mottershaw of Niles motored to San Diego to escort Tony Ramos back to his base in San Diego. Tony, who joined the U. S. Navy on November 28, had a leave during the holidays. He became engaged to Ginger on Christmas Day. The three also motored to Tia Juana to visit that city for several hours.

NEW HOUSING

The Federal Housing Administration announced approval of three private firms in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties as builders of 400 rental units programmed for the Pittsburg-Camp Stoneman critical defense housing area. Claude T. Lindsay of Decoto will build 50 units to cost about $500,000. They were allocated 50 two-bedroom units to rent at $70 a month, including garage.

IN NAVY

Joe Castro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Castro Sr., enlisted in the U. S. Navy and is at San Diego for his boot training. Joe was a senior at Washington High and would have graduated in June of this year. For the past two years he has been a star pitcher for the varsity baseball team.

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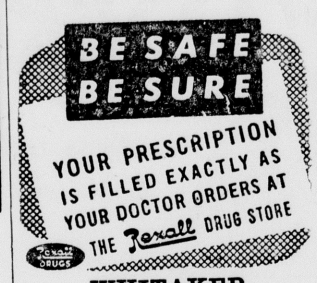

WHITAKER PHARMACY

NILES 4410

FIRE-FIGHTERS ELECT ALAMEDA

A. E. Alameda was installed as president of the Irvington Firemen's Club at ceremonies held Monday evening at the fire house. He succeeds Walter Connolly.

Other officers seated were: Tom Faria, vice-president; William Rose, secretary; Manuel Guardanapo, treasurer, and Walter George, sergeant-at-arms.

BACK TO PARATROOPS

Zavio Elizarrey recently returned to his paratrooper camp in North Carolina after a furlough home.

GUILD MEETING

A prayer led by Chairman Doris King opened the meeting of Holy Rosary Guild last Tuesday evening at the Decoto School. Helen Roderick led the flag salute. May Joseph made a report on the whist party to be held on February 8 at the Decoto Elementary School.

Zelma Oliver was named as chairman for the sewing circle which will hold its first meeting January 16 at 7 p.m. She is to replace Marie Terra.

Visitors for the evening were: Mary Luna, Mrs. Paul Pagan, Josephine Bernard, Mrs. Alice Dearwester, Agnes Stewart, Madeline Frisch, Julia Mateo and Loraine Carolo.

The meeting was turned over to Mary Janeiro, program chairman. The opening number was a tap dance by Jackie Joseph. Eddie Sisernos sang "You and Your Beautiful Eyes." Kathleen Enos did a beautiful ballet. Maxine Costa played several accordion solos. Jack Navarro, a tap dancer, also sang a duet with Eddie Sisernos.

Father Duggan announced an organization for the men of the parish would meet Thursday evening.

Plans were completed for the 15th annual firemen's ball to be held the evening of February 23 at the Newark Pavilion. Manuel Guardanapo has been named general chairman of the affair.

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More people are making more calls between these communities. To bring these calls within your local calling area, uniform extended service is being provided for all Niles subscribers. If you do not already have extended service, you will be charged extended service rates beginning January 11. The increase in cost is small. And, of course, with this new service you'll be able to call many more telephones than formerly, without a toll charge.

You'll save, too, on calls to the Bay Area communities listed below that fall outside your new, enlarged local calling area. We're changing them from "toll calls" to "message unit" calls.

This improvement means that for each five cent unit of the former "toll" charge for station calls between these points, you'll now be charged one "message unit" costing 4.4 cents.

Beginning with the change in your service, you will save 12% on the present charge for each call you make to these communities. For example, a toll call which now costs you 25 cents will cost you only 22 cents after the change. This important saving is partly the result of new and more economical billing methods. Instead of receiving an itemized list of charges for these calls, you'll now receive a single statement of the total number of message units you've used.

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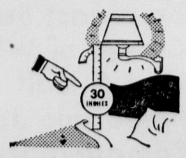

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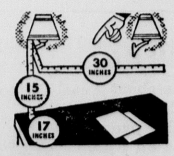

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On Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. John Orsetti of Jarvis Road, Centerville, are announcing the marriage of their son, Bruno, to Florence Dowing of Walnut Creek.

The couple were married in Pacific Grove on Saturday, December 29, and are now honeymooning in Los Angeles, Texas and Oklahoma. They will live in Centerville upon their return.

Carla Gene Arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gronley of Niles are announcing the birth of a baby girl, Carla Gene Gronley, born January 4, at Hayward Hospital. The young lady weighed 9 pounds and 1 ounce at birth.

Two of the new arrival's most devoted admirers are her big brother, Kelly, 5, and sister Claudia, 3.

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Niles Girl Betrothed To Pleasanton Man

The engagement of Irene Andrade of Niles and Robert Cortez of Pleasanton was announced at the home of Irene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andrade.

Irene, who has set no date for the wedding as yet, is a graduate of Washington Union High School, and is employed in Newark. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cortez of Pleasanton. A graduate of Amador Valley High School at Pleasanton, he attended San Jose State College one year, and is now employed in the office of the Kaiser gravel plant near Pleasanton.

Guest from Michigan

A dinner guest last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Susie Lemos of Alvarado was Mr. Richard Wilson of Lansing, Michigan. Mr. Wilson, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Lemos' daughter (Mrs. Thelma Wilson of Lansing), is in California to instruct Oldsmobile dealers in the new features of the cars. He is making his headquarters at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco.

Dinner Party

A surprise birthday dinner party was given last night for Jill Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Paul Johnson of Centerville, by the Kermit Schaafs of Canyon Heights. Jill was celebrating her eighth birthday. The party was also an occasion for Mrs. Johnson, for it will be her last partying for some time as she goes into the San Jose Hospital next Tuesday for surgery.

Doing the Town

Taking advantage of his first Sunday off in a year, Mr. Gene Correia, assistant manager at the Safeway Store in Centerville, took his wife up to San Francisco last Sunday and together they "did the town." They had dinner at the Fairmont, saw "Mister Roberts" at the Curran Theater, and then went to the "Top o' the Mark."

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No longer do you, in other towns in the township, have to pay to make phone calls to Niles. Today the phone company makes extended service available to everyone. This means that you now have the opportunity you have long been waiting for—to phone news items in to The Register!—at no expense to yourself.

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Visitors from Michigan

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Whaley of Michigan were recent visitors at the home of their niece, Mrs. L. R. Batman. The Whaleys, who had come to Niles via Southern California, thought the beauties of Northern California, especially those around Niles, far surpassed those of Southern California. They were even wishing that they owned a few acres here.

Before returning to their home in Michigan, they will motor down to Mexico, as far as Mexico City.

Birthday Club Meets

The girls of the "Birthday Club" of the International Kitchen took advantage of the Kitchen's temporary closing by having lunch together at the home of Mrs. Bea Fournier last Monday. It was Mrs. Fournier's birthday, and she was the honored member of the club on that day. Those present were Mmes. Edna Griswold, Centerville; Nadine Boyce, Newark; Mary Wolt, Hayward; Antoinette Fracolli, Niles; Sophie Quartaroli, Niles; and Genevieve Creighton, Niles.

On Way to Front

Pfc. Ed Gurley, who is a graduate of Washington High, class of '51, writes to his fiancee, Miss Margaret Cole of Niles, that he has arrived at Yokahama, and will be there for a short while before being sent to the front in Korea. He had been stationed at Fort Ord for almost a year.

In the Hospital

Mrs. Hazel Millard, teacher at the Mission San Jose elementary school, returned home from Alameda Hospital Thursday after undergoing an operation last Friday. It will be good news to all of her friends that she is recuperating satisfactorily.

Return from Arizona

Mr. and Mrs. William Mette have returned after spending the two weeks of their Christmas vacation in Arizona. They motored down to visit Mrs. Mette's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dickey, at Casa Grande. They report a wonderful time, with the weather perfect all the way.

Off to Washington

Jerry Roeding, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Roeding, will leave with his squadron next Thursday for the state of Washington. With the U. S. Air Force, he has been training in Berkeley and will take further intensive training in Washington. He is with communications, studying radar.

DECOTO DISCUSSION GROUP TAKES UP STUDY OF WENDELL WILLKIE'S BOOK

By ETHEL AVILLA

"One World" is a record of Wendell Willkie's airplane trip around the world in wartime. His purpose was to see what he could of the world and the war, to study its leaders and its people. The book he came home to write is outspoken and courageous in expressing the views and hopes of a great American spirit. Mr. Willkie believed that no nation can reach its fullest development alone and that there will never be any lasting security for anyone without real world cooperation.

This book was discussed last Wednesday when the Decoto Discussion Group met at the Green Shutter Hotel for a luncheon. Mrs. Dorothy F. Roberts, Alameda County librarian, was the hostess. Mrs. Jean King of HillcrestView is a new member.

The group will meet next month on February 6 at the home of Mrs. Manuel Fontes in Mission San Jose. Mrs. Clifford Johnson will lead a discussion of "Kon-Tiki" by Thor Heyerdahl.

Mission Girl Is Engaged

Since Christmas, Iris McNemar of Mission San Jose has been wearing a diamond ring on that important finger. It was given to her by Don Pedro of Newark.

Iris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McNemar of Mission San Jose, and is a senior at Washington High School. Her fiance is the son of Mrs. Ida Watkins of Oakland. He lives with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Texeira, in Newark, and is employed at Freeman's in Newark.

The wedding won't take place until after Iris graduates in June.

On the Move Again

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bodily of Ellsworth Orchard are again on the move—or will be as soon as their new home, to be constructed right across the street from where they are now living—is completed. They have just sold their home at 210 Jones Way to Mr. and Mrs. Parker Heine of Oakland.

Mr. Heine is associated with the Tay-Holbrook Company in Oakland, dealers in plumbing supplies. The couple have two small children.

At Debs' Ball

Mrs. George Roeding of Niles was among those who attended the brilliant Cotillion held at the Palace Hotel recently to introduce the season's debutantes to San Francisco society. Mrs. Roeding was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Carl Mathewson. The Mathewsons' daughter, Ann, was one of the debs.

Hirds Attend Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hird and sons spent last week-end in Hanford, where they attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. Hird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hird. There were three children present at the occasion, and seven grandchildren.

The Hirds (senior), having lived in Hanford for almost as long as they've been married, have a host of friends there and would have enjoyed having a large affair to include their friends, but were unable to do so because Mrs. Hird has been home from the hospital only a short time. She suffered an injury in a fall, and is still recuperating.

Book Review

Mrs. Harold Korell of Adobe Acres, Niles, last Wednesday reviewed a book, "Middle Heaven" by Mona Gardner, before members of a group of the Livermore Church of the Reorganized Latter Day Saints.

Where's the Fire?

Monday, January 7, Niles, 12:30 a.m., car fire on Highway 17.

This week's answer to "Guess Who:" Warren Gravestock, high school vice-principal and principal of the night school.

John Fremont and a scouting party discovered Lake Tahoe on February 14, 1844.

ATTENDS INSURANCE CONCLAVE IN ARIZONA

A. H. Perez, local representative of California-Western States Life Insurance Company, left last week to attend the convention of his company's Leading Producers Club at the San Marcos Hotel, Chandler, Arizona, January 6-9.

Qualification for membership in the Leading Producers Club is based upon production of new business during the 18-month club qualifying period preceding the convention. Over 250 of the company's representatives from eleven western states and the Territory of Hawaii attended the convention.

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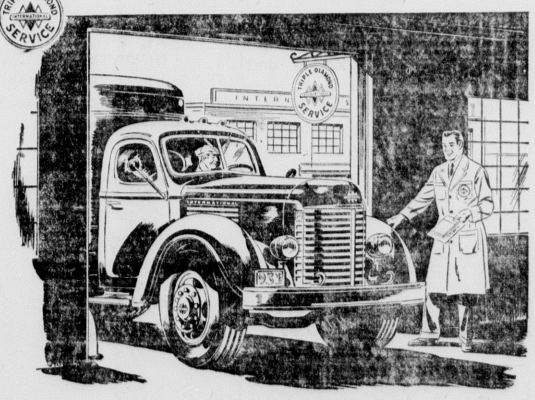

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The post will hold its first meeting with its new officers presiding on Tuesday at 8 p.m. at Roethlin's Cafe.

REBEKAH NEWS

The officers of Livermore Rebekah Lodge and Livermore Odd Fellows Lodge were installed last night under the direction of James Carskadden, district deputy grand master of District No. 36, and Anna Bradford, installing officer for District No. 53. Mrs. Bradford, who is taking the place of Olive Pugmire, district deputy president of District No. 53, ill in an Oakland hospital, was accompanied by Mrs. Pugmire's staff and Deputy Marshal Anna Van Buskirk.

The two officers will install the officers of Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge and Pleasanton Odd Fellows Lodge on January 28. On January 18 they will install the officers of Silver Star Rebekah Lodge and Mission Peak Odd Fellows Lodge at Irvington.

The many friends of Mrs. Pugmire are very sorry to learn of her serious illness, and all are hoping for a quick recovery.

AT COACHES DINNER

Coach Irving Hird of the Washington High football squad, accompanied by Paul Zeisse and Jack Ferraris, two senior members of the squad, motored to Fresno Wednesday to attend a coaches dinner at Fresno State College.

Maine is the nation's greatest potato growing state.

CHURCH DISCUSSES PLANS FOR UNION

"Is Church Union Possible Now?" will be the sermon topic of the Rev. Howard Steward at the morning worship service of the Centerville Presbyterian Church this Sunday. The sermon will include a report of Dr. E. Stanley Jones—a Methodist bishop and a missionary of world renown—plan for the union of all 250 Protestant denominations.

Sunday evening at 7 will be the first meeting of the Deeper Life Fellowship. The high school and junior high youth groups also will meet at 7.

On Thursday evening at 7:30, the Ruth Circle will have their first meeting of the New Year at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Click, 130 Arline Court, Centerville.

SERVICES AT ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services Sunday at St. James Episcopal Church will include holy communion at 8 a.m., church school at 9:45 a.m., and morning prayer and sermon at 11.

A nursery is provided at the rectory during the 11 o'clock service.

A meeting of the vestry will be held Monday at 7:30 p.m. The choir will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., and the annual parish dinner will be held Friday, January 18, at 6:30 p.m.

NILES MAN PAYS FINE

Robert L. Rangel of Niles was fined $10 in Justice Court here Tuesday on a charge of giving beer to a minor.

Overfishing, pollution and obstruction of rivers with dams, have contributed to depletion of the Atlantic Coast shad fisheries.

JOSEPH CORRIEA CLAIMED BY DEATH

Joseph Francis Correia, 76, longtime resident of Irvington, died at his home there last Thursday and was given final rites Monday.

He was the husband of Cecelia Correia; father of Frank, Clarence, Joseph and Melvin Corriea, all of Glen, Calif., Mrs. Mary Yop, Mrs. John J. Perry and Mrs. Robert Baker, all of Irvington, Lawrence Corriea, Sunnyvale, Mrs. Dee Barnes, San Jose, Dolores Correia, Santa Clara, Walter Corriea, U. S. Air Force, Hamilton Field, and the late Angie Crum; brother of Manuel Corriea of San Jose and the late John Corriea. He is also survived by 14 grandchildren.

He was a native of Fayal, Azore Islands, and a member of U.P.E.C. No. 62 of Gilroy.

Funeral services were held Monday from the parlors of the Berge Mortuary in Irvington, followed by a requiem mass at St. Joseph's Church, Mission San Jose. Interment was at Holy Ghost Cemetery, Centerville.

MRS. MARY CUNHA DIES AT DECOTO

Mrs. Mary Cunha, 88, a resident of this vicinity for the past 52 years, died at her home at 619 Railroad Avenue, Decoto, Wednesday evening.

She was the mother of Joseph Cunha of Centerville, Mrs. Frances Avilla, Mrs. Linda Cunha and Mrs. Florence Wallace, all of Decoto; grandmother of Warren Wallace, Walter and Wilbert Avilla and Mrs. June Guzzi. She is also survived by three great-grandchildren. She was a native of the Azore Islands.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 8:30 a.m. from the parlors of the Chapel of the Palms in Centerville, followed by a requiem mass at Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Decoto. Interment will be at Holy Ghost Cemetery.

BEGONIA SOCIETY WILL MEET JANUARY 17

The regular meeting of the Southern Alameda County Branch of the American Begonia Society will be held Thursday, January 17, at 8 p.m., in the cafeteria of the Hayward High School.

President Peter Guerich will preside over his first meeting of the year. Guest speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, past president of the American Fuchsia Society and foremost authority on fuchsias, who will speak on the culture of fuchsias.

All persons interested are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

STATE DIRECTOR CITES NEED FOR BLOOD

If every person in California gave a pint of blood the supply would still be insufficient to meet the needs of casualties in the event of an atomic attack on the state.

This was the warning voiced this week by Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson, state director of civil defense.

"To meet the need, people throughout all of America would have to give—that you might live," he added.

The maximum depth of Lake Tahoe is 1645 feet.

MISSION SAN JOSE NEWS

By ALBIE SANTOS

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Stanley Garcia celebrated his thirteenth birthday Sunday with a party at his home on the Calaveras Road. Those who were guests at his party were: Rodney Albert and Thompy Thompson of Mission San Jose; Janice Cunha and Duane Rose of Centerville; Linda and Gary Cunha of Irvington, Stanley and Gary King and Dennis McKenzie of Niles. The afternoon was spent playing games and watching television. Refreshments consisted of cake and ice cream snow balls. After the serving of refreshments, Stanley opened his lovely gifts.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Hazel Millard, who is the first and second grade teacher at the Mission Elementary School, underwent surgery at the Alameda Hospital Friday.

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. James Thompson received a badly dislocated and sprained wrist in a fall.

ON THE MOVE

We regret to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lowe and their two children have moved. It is understood that the family is now residing at Camp Parks.

BACK TO UTAH

Robert Lofton has returned to his Utah government position following a two weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lofton and three sisters, Lola, Iras and Marveen.

DAY IN THE CITY

Mrs. Jack Pereira spent Tuesday in San Francisco accompanied by Paul Stable, who was met by his sister, and he had quite a day visiting all the interesting San Francisco sights.

AT WALNUT CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bottenberg, Ruth Santos and her two children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Justus at Walnut Creek.

WHIST PARTY

The public is invited to attend a whist party at the Mission San Jose Elementary School on Thursday evening, January 24, at 8 o'clock. The party will be given by the Mothers' Club. Free refreshments will be served. The admission is 50 cents and 10 cents tax. Come and enjoy an evening playing whist with your friends.

AT THE VANITIES

The Roller Skating Vanities was enjoyed Friday evening by the following Mission folks: the Glenn Bottenbergs, the Larry Thompsons, the Don Hays, Stanley Garcia and Thompy Thompson.

WEEK-END GUESTS

Guests at the home of Mrs. Rose Recend during the week-end were her nieces, accompanied by friends from Sacramento.

IN RECITAL

Among the students that were part of the musical recital at the Dominican Convent Sunday were Adeline Fontes, Barbara Joanne Roth, and Marveen and Lola Lofton. The recital was enjoyed by the sisters of the convent and the students' families.

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1. A good home, centrally located, partly furnished if desired, for $5600. 2 bedroom. Magnolia St., Newark.
2. A fine new home to be finished within three weeks. Choose your own colors for tile and paint. $8250.
3. A home within a block of the post office, half a block to stores. $6000. Newark.
4. Two fine, new three bedroom homes. Double garage.
5. Older sound 3 large bedroom home on lot 75x200. Centerville. This is an investment in property which will increase in value because of location.
6. A very homey home on 5½ acres. Gas and electricity. Walnuts and apricots.
7. Over 200 listings of farms, homes, garages, subdivision lands, vacant lots.

Listings desired. Many people are heading this way for homes and other properties.

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LARGE 2-story home on Main Street, Centerville. 4 bedrooms and rumpus room. Ideal for business or professional use. 3-car garage. Lot 65x200.

2-BEDROOM home in Newark, hardwood floors, lot 50x150, patio and barbecue pit, well landscaped yard and tall trees. A good buy at $6900.

LOTS in new restricted tract in Centerville, 70x159. $2250.

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111 Main Street
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Real Estate
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DECOTO— $5200, small down payment. 1 bedroom house. Easy to add another room.
DECOTO—Lot, size 50x100.
DECOTO— 3 bedroom, large stucco house, including 2 lots. House very well built, among new homes.
DECOTO—Commercial property, 3 stores and 3 nice homes. Shows very good income.
DECOTO — 2-bedroom house, near shopping area.
100 ACRES of grazing land, lots of water. $10,000.
IRVINGTON—Small orchard, 1 parcel, $1500; another parcel, $2000. All util. Terms.
IRVINGTON — 1.10 acres on highway frontage, plus 2 bedroom house. $9700.
IRVINGTON—New, personally built 3-bedroom home. Must see to appreciate.
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CENTERVILLE—1½ acres near shopping area and schools. Ideal for bungalow court or business site.

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FRIDAY - SATURDAY
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Wm. Lundigan - June Haver
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—also—
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SUNDAY - MONDAY
January 13-14
Steve Cochran - Philip Carey
TANKS ARE COMING
—and—
Mickey Rooney
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Esther Williams - Red Skelton
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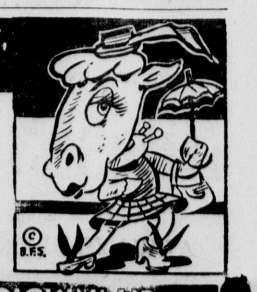
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